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ENGAGED IN SECURING TROLLEY RIGHT OF WAY

West Side Company Working on Extension From Charleroi

BUSY IN BENTLEYVILLE

Expect to Finish Up Work of Grading There--Line Goes to Ellsworth

While work is proceeding on the grading of the route through Bentleyville and Ellsworth boroughs for their street car line, efforts are being made by the West Side company to secure thefinalrights of way that will permit the building of a trolley line from Charleroi to Bentleyville. The work in Bentleyville borough is being hastened to the greatest extent possible. The franchise calls for a completion of the tracks within eighteen months after its granting. The time will be up the latter part of this year. It is the intention to have the line completed by summer.

Through Bentleyville to the terminal point in Ellsworth the West Side line will be laid over a course two milesor more in length.

The line between Charleroi and Bentleyville will be built if the desired right of way can be secured. Considerable of the necessary land along the proposed route has been bought up, but there is also considerable right of way to be secured.

The West Side company has declared itself willing to pay what it thinks resonable for right of way. It does not desire to institute condemnation proceedings. There can be no time limit placed on the construction of the connecting link as it all depends on the right of way.

DEATH RESULTS FROM ATTACK OF MEASLES

James Alexander Williams, aged 18 months, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Williams of 207 McKean avenue, died Saturday night from at attack of the measles. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock conducted by Rev J R. Burson of the Washington avenue Presbyterian church. Interment was in the Charleroi cemetery.

Hear Local Man's Song.

For the first time probably the song, "The Pilgrim's Vision," composed by Prof. I. T. Daniel, music supervisor in the schools was heard in Charleroi Sunday night. Miss Mary Glunt, soprano, sang it at the First Methodist Episcopal church. The song is a most execellent composition. Prof. Daniel composed the song years ago.

State Wrestlers Win.

Among the State wrestlers who won notable victories for their college at Carnell, were Dexter Very, the popular athlete and Levi Lamb of California. Very won in the 58 pound class in 2 minutes from Ryder of Cornell and Lamb won in the heavy weight class in 8 minutes and 22 seconds olver Davidson of Cornell.

Is Director Large Choir

Prof. I. T. Daniel Conducts Organization of 1,000 Voices at Pittsburg

Prof. I. T. Daniel was in Pittsburg Saturday night attending the St. David's celebration given underauspices of the St. David's society. The affair was attended by Welsh people from all parts of the state. Immense choirs sang famous Welsh songs. Prof. Daniel was conductor of one of the choirs of 1,000 voices that rendered the song, "Diadem." Rev. William Foulks a well known New York rector wasthe chief speaker of the evening.

TO FILL OFFICES

Wilson Has Many Appointments to Make in Pennsylvania

APPLICANTS ANXIOUS

There are 544 postmasterships to be distributed in Pennsylvania by President-elect Woodrow Wilson after he asuumes the Presidency. Among these will be the Charleroi postmastership, for which at last report there were four Democrats in good and regular standing aspiring.

Some self-proud Republicans are going to be woefully disappointed in Pennsylvania. From 60 to 70 commissions have expired. President Taft nominated men for these places. All are being held up by Democrats in the Senate until after Wilson takes the chair. The greater part of the Republicans so classified will likely through this means lose their postoffice jobs. The salaries of the 544 offices to be filled range from $1,000 to $8,000 per year, the aggregate being $983,600.

Seventeen postmasters are to be appointed during the Wilson administration in Washington county. The salaries aggregate $30,500 a year. With the time of their appointment, and the salaries they receive annully, they are:

Bentleyville, Loretta N. Young, July 5, 1910, $1,400.

Burgettstown, J. P. Shillito, March 11, 1911, $1,600.

California, Wm. W. Latta, March 11, 1911, $2,000.

Canonsburg, T. M. Reese, March 20, 1911, $2,400.

Charleroi, J. E. McCardle, June 26, 1909, $2,500.

Claysville, Jas. W. Grimes, March 11, 1911, $1,500.

Coal Centre, Jennie M. Smith, May 22,1912, $1,300.

Donora, Roman E. Koehler, January 25, 1911, $2,400.

Ellsworth, H. B. Kingensmith, January 29, 1910, $1,400.

McDonald, H. P. Williams, June 16, 1909, $2,200.

Midway, T. E. McLaughlin, May 26, 1911, $1,000.

Monongahela, D. C. Parkinson, June 26, 1912, $2,600.

Roscoe, J. R. Underwood, April 22, 1909, $1,000.

Washington, J. T.Hemphill, Feb. 4, 1911, $3,100.

West Alexander, Helen P. Howell, April 27, 1909, $1,000.

West Brownsville, John B. Moffit, June 18, 1912, $1,100.

Among the postoffice appointments held up because of the change in administration was that at Monessen, where Edward M. Frye is now postmaster at a salary of $2,600. Uniontown's postmaster appointment is also held up. There the incumbent is receiving $3,100 a year. In Fa yette county among the places where appointments are to be made are Belle Vernon, where F. A. Springer is postmaster, at asalary of $1,800 and Fayette City, where Alex C. Alton is postmaster, at a salary of $1,600.

BRIGADE IN SHAPE FOR INAUGURATION

Charleroi Organization Arrives Safely at National Capital--"Fine Weather" Report From Captain Jolliffe

"Arrived O K 7:45 p. m. Every one in good shape. All arrangements made. Attended church service in body. Weather fine," is a telegram received this morning from Capt. R. Dale Jolliffe of the Charleroi Brigade, which is in Washington to attend the inauguration of President-elect Wilson. In the company are 25 men.

The latter part of the week is perhaps the most interesting. When the brigade left Charleroi Sunday morning, the Sunday blizzard was at its worst. Things looked bad then for the inauguration. Evidently the storm missed Washington.

Today the members of the brigade are sightseeing. One of the chief features will be the suffragette parade, which the brigade together with other military companies will witness n a body.

TERRAPIN NOT AN ANIMAL; SERPENT

Westmoreland Official Renders Decision of Grave Importance to Science

What is a turtle? This was the legal question that came before 'Squire Irwin I. Hunter, a justice of the peace at Greensburg, when Humane Agent Harry Hazlett brought Norman B. Gibson before the magistrate on a charge of cruelty to animals.

The Greensburg baggage men were disturbed over the mysterious sounds emitted from a suitcase which arrived there at 7:05 o'clock last Friday evening and was left in the baggage room. After considerable speculation it was decided that there was a baby inside.

Gibson, who is a traveling salesman for the Bellefonte Match company, arrived later and asked for the grip. He was confronted by officers, who demanded to know the contents. Gibson cheerfully opened the suitcase and displayed four diamondback terrapins, for which he said he had paid $15 in Baltimore. Agent Hazlett arrested Gibson for cruelty to animals and took him before Justice Hunter. Justice Hunter, after a thorough search of judicial findings and court rulings, decided terrapins were not animals, but serpents. Gibson was discharged. The terrapins, according to Gibson, will go to make a feast for several Pittsburg friends.

CHILD DIES FROM PNEUMONIA ATTACK

Hannah Adeline Christie, aged 20 months and 21 days, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hal. Christie of 212 Prospect avenue, died Saturday night from measles and pneumonia having been seriously ill a week. The child was a member of the cradle roll of the First Christian Sunday school. Funeral services were conducted at the home this afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. J. T. Hackett and interement was in the Charleroi cemetery.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mansfield of Lookout avenue March 3 a daughter.

LIVED HERE FOR TWENTY YEARS

John Watkinson Dies at Home on Washington Avenue Early This Morning

John Watkinson, aged 43 years,one of the early residents of Charleroi died at his home at 635 Washington avenue, this morning at 1:55 o'clock from tuberculosis, from which he has been ill. Mr. Watkinson came to Charleroi about 20 years ago, to take employment in the Pittsburg Plate Glass plant. He has lived here ever since. For three years previous to his taking ill he worked at the Pittsburg Steel mill at Monessen.

Surviving are his widow and one daughter, Miss Lena aged 12; his mother, Mrs. Mariah Geary of Charleroi; two brothers, Luke of Indiana, and Peter of Charleroi; four sisters, Mrs. William Appleton of Indiana, Miss Margaret Watkinson of Indiana, Mrs. Claney Davis of Marion, Ind., and Mrs. Jos. Matthhews of Youngstown, Ohio.

Mr. Watkinson was a member of St. Mary's Episcopal church. He also was a member of the Order of Sons of St. George. the order of Red Men and Charleroi Aerie of Eagles Two from each order will serve as pallbearers.

Funera lservices will be held att he late home at 12:30 o'clock on Wednesday, Rev. L. W. Shey of St Mary's Episcopal church will be in charge of the services with Rev. F. A. Richards of the Methodist Episcopal church assisting. The body will be taken by special trolley car to Mt. Lebanon near Pittsburg for interment.

Disturbance Costs $47.

It cost John Plusco, John and Jim Cander between them about $47 to repair the damage they caused on the evening train coming form Brownsville Sunday evening. They raised a disturbance with Conductor Joe C. Smith whom they are said to have undertaken to beat up. His eye glasses were broken and it is stated a car window was broken. They were taken off the train here. Information was made against them before Justice of the Peace Wheeler. They agreed to pay for the damage and on the charge of disorderly conduct plead guilty paying the costs and a small fine.

Concert.

Given by the Louhi Band of Monessen and the Swedish Glee Club of Pittsburg under theauspices of Balder Lodge, No. 53, S. B. of A., Monessen Opera House, Saturday, March 8, 1913, at 8 o'clock. Admission 50 cents. 187eod-t3p

Miss Georgene Parsons has gone to Pittsburg where she will visit a few days before going to Erie where she and her father, B. L. Parsons, will make their future home.

D. N. Hall is in Pittsburg today.

Mrs. C. C. Wright and Mrs. Leroy Harris are in Pittsburg today to attend the recital tonightto be given at Carnegie Music Hall by Mme. Sembrich.

D. C. Whitlatch and Floyd Chalfant are in Pittsburg to attend the Sembrich recital at Carnegie Music hall tonight.

PAXTON IS SUCCESSOR TO M'GOWAN AT LOCK

Claimed to be Modern Fagin

Man Arrested With Boy Said to be Protege--Had Copper Wire in Possession

Arrests were made by the police Saturday night of a man giving his name as Miller and a boy who said his name was Bostmus. They had at the time in their possession a quantity of copper wire which it was alleged they took from a Carnegie Coal company's storehouse. The boy told a story to Chief of Police Albright that would indicate he was a sort of a protege of Miller, who is supposed to have acted the part of Fagin.

GETS BILL IN SHAPE

Gov. Tener's Non-Partisian Ballot Measure to be Presented

MEETS WITH APPROVAL

A non-partisan ballot bill prepared at the instance of Gov. John K. Tener will be introduced in the state legislature within a few days. Reports from Harrisburg are that the bill will pass, and that the elections this fall will be held under its provisions. The leaders of all factions and all parties appear to me united for it Gov Tener in outlining the bill said:

"By the method proposed in the non-partisan bill there will be no political parties except in state and national elections. The evils that have arisen through factional fights through the formation of mushroom parties through nomination papers after a primary will be eliminated. This will be done by the following method:

"A certain percentage of the voters will place in nomination candidates for the respective offices at the primaries. The primary candidate who receives a majority of the vote cast over all his opponents will be unopposed at the election. In case of no majority for any one candidate the two leading candidates at the primaries will become the candidates at the general election."

Coal Center Nest, No. 1815, Order of Owls was organized at Coal Center last week with about 300 charter members from Coal Center and California by Organizer A. A. Humphries. The officers are: President, W. E. Cross; vice president, Louis Kettler; secretary, William Sloan; treasurer, Frank Miller.

Lenten services at St. Mary's Episcopal church Wednesday afternoon will be omitted as Rev. Shey is to officiate at the funeral of the late John Watkinson on the afternoon of that day.

PAXTON IS SUCCESSOR TO M'GOWAN AT LOCK

Assistant Lockmaster Assumes Position at No 4.

IN SERVICE 21 YEARS

Came Here From California to Tend Lock--Makes Report of Coal Trade

Twenty-one years of faithful service first as a lock tender and later as an assistant lockmaster at Lock No. 4 has won for George W. Paxton the appointment of lockmaster to succeed the late Abraham F. McGowan. The appointment has just been confirmed by the government authorities. Mr. Paxton has assumed hi sduties. Charles Taylor of Elizabeth has been appointed an assistant lockmaster. P. E. Krahmer, who for years has been connected with the work at Lock No. 4 will retain his place as an assistant lockmaster.

Mr. Paxton came to Lock No. 4 from California 21 years ago, being employed as locktender. Thirteen years ago he was appointed to the position of assistant lockmaster, a position he has held since.

One of his first official acts was preparing the report of the lock for the month of February. He gave out this report this morning. Coal shipments aggregated 18,048,000 bushels. The January coal shipments were less. totaling only 16,974,000.

Down stream during February the report was as follows: Lockages, 701; steamers, 371; coal boats, barges and flats, 1,483. Up stream records were: Lockages, 715; steamers, 378; coal boats barges and flats 1,454.

The rainfall was heavy during February being 5.83 inches.

FATHER OF MRS. L. W. SHEY DIES

Robert N. Hazlett of Wheeling, 68 years old, father of Mrs. L. W. Shey of California died at his home in that city Sunday. Mrs. Shey was at the bedside of her father at the time of his death. Mr. Hazlett was for 40 years connected with the official staff of the Western Union Telegraph company at Wheeling. He was a son of the late Dr. R. N. Hazlett of Pittsburg one of the most noted physicians of that city during his lifetime, and a brother of the late John M. Hazlett, formerly city editor of the Pittsburg Leader. Mr. Hazlett was a civil war veteran having served four years in the United States cavalry. Rev. L. W. Shey will go to Wheeling to attend the funeral which will be held tomorrow.

Notice to the Public.

On and after April first, 1913, the stone masons and the stone quarrymen of Monessen and Charleroi will operate on the eighthour per day system. The stone masons will exact fifty cents per hour and the quarrymen thirty-three cents. This change is made by the mutual agreement of the workmen.

187-t6p (Signed) Committee.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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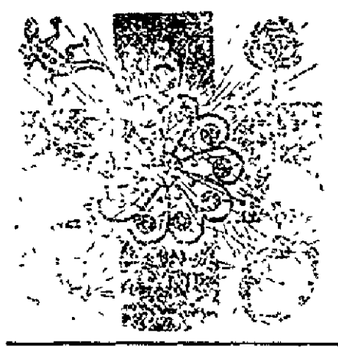

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TO OTHER HANDS.

With this week about every department of the federal government passes into the hands of the Democratic party. The administrative and legislative branches with which the fate of the country must rest will be entrusted entirely to Democracy. Peace, prosperity and general good feeling are the conspicuous features of existing conditions and there is a general dsposition to be confident of continued happiness.

The radical change in government policy does not result from Republican default. Political discontent has been largely responsible for the changed conditions and in handing over to its ancient enemy the reins of Federal government the Republican party properly feels that in the last quarter of a century it has performed its bounden duty to all the people. The Republican partly devoted its energies and intelligence to the people's best interests, always looking to the rights of every citizen and with no sectional preferences. Democracy, therefore, need have no uneasiness about Republican support in good government movements. The snags and hindrances threatening are almost certain to come from Democratic sources and in its efforts to govern the country its greatest task is likely to be found in governing itself.

There will be only a mild form of comfort for the regular Republicans of Pennsylvania in the change of government authorities. This State will continue to stand as it has stood for years firm in its devotion to the system of protection and consequent prosperity and the government now being administered in ths State is certain to be a guide for all other States in hurrying back to Republican rule and Republican principles of adminstraton.

OUR ROAD PROJECT.

As state highway commissioner, and the head of a project to improve and reconstruct 8,000 miles of roads, Edward M. Bigelow ranks with the great railroad kings, the Hills, the Harrimans, the Goulds an dothers, including the Pennsylvania, the New York Central and the Baltimore and Ohio railroads whose operations are in this state, and which are more or less familiar to the public. While some of the systems have assumed gigantic proportions by combinations and acquisitions, it is probable that not one of these great railroad men ever started out on so large a scale o operations with so many miles of road under his jurisdiction as Mr. Bigelow. A new railroad project of 8,000 miles to start with, would be considered one of the gigantic projects of the age.

Mr. Bigelow is being criticised for spending money lavishly on the preliminary surveys and engineering and on the contracts already let. In so gigantic a project as taking over, improving and reconstructing 8,000 miles of roads it may be possible that some mistakes were made, and that everything was not done to the best advantage or as efficienctly as it might have been. However, many times the sums expended by Mr. Bigelow and many times the apparent errors and inefficiency—if any existed—can be found in connection with every vast railroad project, and no one thinks anything about it, as it is conceded that in so big a project some errors and derelictions are unavoidable.

Pennsylvania has undertaken a vast work that will benefit every individual and every business interest in the commonwealth and it should be the mission of all to encourage and help along the project instead of trying to kill it because of some alleged mistakes or errors that have been asserted and not substantiated.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Even the best motives sometimes get a man in wrong.

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Jim Thorpe in batting practice would be a good advertising card for New York, even if he doesn't ever live up to his agent's dream.

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Judging from the pictures of the suffrage hikers they would appear to better advantage hiking back and forth between the dining room and kitchen.

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Members of Taft's cabinet are getting ready to retire. However, there is no occasion for surprise in this announcement.

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A railroad spends a little bit of money and gets efficiency, but if the government tries for efficiency by the same methods, the people who think they know and don't cry murder.

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"I shall have the pleasure of being a private citizen for three days."—President Wilson. He didn't say that when he was merely a college president.

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Those Latin Senators.

Senator Bacon, president pro tempore, laid before the senate the papers in the case of Philip Mitchell, administrator de bonus non cum testamento annexo of the estate of William Hoffman.—Congressional Record.

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Marshall looks too young to make a good vice president.

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In the Lovelorn Department.

Dear Editress: I am a girl of 21 and have the habit of being proud. Can I Correct this fault?—Flossie. Gee, Floss, get married.

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Dress and dancing cause the downfall of most girls, says a noted evangelist. He must be talking of hobble skirts.

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A girl who doesn't like dogs is a girl whose acquaintance is worth cultivating, because she's so different.

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President-elect Wilson's wife doesn't appear to be a succesful painter. But what a relief to know a reputation for a family doesn't make an art gallery.

A Matter of Concentration.

The difference between a good woman and a bad woman is that a bad woman raises hell with a number of men while a good woman raises hell with but one.—Ed. Howe.

Real Article is Tractable.

What a tame thing real love is when compared with the fierce, undying brand you see on the stage.—Chicago News.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

What constitutes culture? This question is asked and analyzed in a recent editorial in the Washington Reporter, prompted by an incident witnessed by the writer that occurred at the county seat:

"In a local restaurant an ordinary hard working man was eating his evening meal and during the proceeding made use of the broad flat blade of his knife to transfer food from his plate to his mouth. Into the restaurant walked three young men, youths possibly seeking an education in our local institutions of learning. They spied the gentleman who found plenteous use for his knife and gave themselves over to guying and chaffing the man who would fall so low as to eat with his knife.

"We propound to our readers a question: Where was the evidence of the greater lack of culture and refinement—On the part of the man eating with his knife or on the part of the youths who made sport of that man in a public place?

"It is well to remember sometimes that culture is not always bounded entirely by the particular manner in which we use a knife at table or in which we manipulate a spoon in a bowl of noodle soup. There are times when culture and refinement may be something more than that; when they may have a finer meaning; when they may be above the mere physical habits of an individual whether that individual happen to have college traning or not."

"Talk about thrift," said a traveling man, who spent Sunday in Charleroi, "one of the most striking incidents that ever came to my notice occurred in a small town in the eastern part of the state where I happened to be last summer. A thrifty German kept a general country store, where he carried a little of everything and in addition to being the local justice of the peace conducted a small circulating library. While I was in the store a girl brought back a book, which she had taken from the library. The old German carefully examined the book, and said:

"Look here, there is a hole on page 16 of this book. You know you have to pay for all damages."

Then turning the leaf over, he again exclaimed:

"And see here," theer is another hole on page 17. I charge you five cents apiece for each of dem holes."

A FE W SMILES.

Those Dear Girls Again.

Clara—Rose told me that you told her that secret I told you not to tell her.

Belle—She's a mean thing! I told her not to tell you.

Clara—Well, I told her I wouldn't tell you she told me, so don't tell her I did—Lippincott's.

Held Her Audience.

"My wife is a wonderful vocalist. Why, I have known her to hold her audience for hours.—"

"Get out!"

"After which she would lay it in the cradle and rock it to sleep."—Tennesseean.

The Small Boy Again.

"Bobby, do you see that bright star overhead, at the top of the big cross?"

"Yes."

"Yes."

"Well, that's Deneb. It is nearly three quadrillions of miles away."

"Huh! Then how do you know its name is Deneb?"—Chicago Tribune.

Campaign at Home.

Knicker—Your girls going to travel this summer?

Bocker—No; they will stay at home and make a porch campaign—New York Sun.

Natural Hesitation.

"Now that your parents have put you through college, why are you waiting before you pick out a career?"

"Why," replied the sweet girl graduate, "I'm waiting to see if some one won't pick me out."—Judge.

Habit.

They say that Mrs. Newrich was a kitchen maid before she married."

"That accounts for her ability to cook up stories and roast her neighbors!"—Judge.

Where to Locate a Church

Anthony Kosarsky and another foreigner were arrested Sunday for fighting. It is alleged that they were discussing the matter of a location for a new church proposed to be built by a local foreign congregation. Disagreement led it is stated to the fight.

DIVIDENDS AMOUNT TO $414,175,000

Including the payment of $6.807,-169 to the 75,492 holders of Pennsylvania Railroad stock, the company paid in dividends since its beginning, $414,175,007, a sum almost equal to its present outstanding capital stock of $153,877,950.

Nearly one-third, or 23,968, of the shareholders live in Pennsylvania. In New England there are 15,584 shareholders, and in New York 12,-966. There are 10,646 shareholders in Europe.

A compilation of the total number of public sharholders in subsidiary corporations controlled by the Pennsylvania Railroad shows such holders to the number of 21,453, which not allowing for duplications, makes 96,945 registered shareholders in the different companies of the Pennsylvania system.

State Must Pay for Insane.

The state must pay for the support of the criminal insane confined in state hospitals for the insane, according to an opinion handed down this week by the supreme court. The decision will have a vital bearing on the finances of Washington and every other county in the commonwealth which have been paying the state hospitals for the support of the criminal insane sent by them to such hospitals. The issue was brought by Lycoming county, which sends its criminal insane to the hospital at Danville.

Committed to Jail.

At a hearing before Squire E. T. Graham at Gallatin Friday afternoon. John Moore, the negro, who on Wednesday shot State Trooper Herbert Shearer at Elkhorn, was committed to jail to await the outcome of Shearer's injuries. Sergeant Stout of the local division took the negro to the Allegheny county jail. Private Shearer who is at the Memorial hospital at Monongahela is getting along as well as could be expected.

Those Modern Gowns.

A married man's life is simply one d—d hook after another.—American Magazine.

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UP THE RIVER

Miss Lillian E. Graham, who has taught in Belle Vernon's schools for 17 years with the exception of three years when her parents did not reside there, severs her connections with thes chool this week and began Monday morning in the schools of Pittsburg. She will be succeeded by Miss Lina Grove of No. 7 and Miss Florence Hambrey of Donora has been elected to the room vacated by Miss Grove.

Belle Vernon has been decidedly in the social and civic swim lately. During the past twoweeksthere have been held a fireman's smoker, a banquet of the Civic League, patron's day in the public schools, entertainment by the schools, Frances Willard Memorial day, and celebration of Washington's an Lincoln's birthdays.

Dr. C. L. E. Cartwright will lecture in the First Presbyterian church at Belle Vernon on Thursday evening on the subject " How Goood It Is To Live."

David Krepps, aged citizen of Allenport has not been able to leave the house since the death of his wife some months ago. Mr. Krepps is very feeble but is not confined to his bed and is able to still greet his many firends when they call.

Since the raid at the cock fight last week there's a number of Fayette City married men who are conducting themselves very circumspectly and trying hard to re-instate themselves in the esteem of their families. In these same families the wife can get about everything she wants, if she designs to injest a few kind words in her request.

Mrs. John Campbell of Roscoe suffered a stroke of paralysis and her condition is considered very serious. Her entire left side is affected. She is being taken care of by her nieces Misses Della and Edna Hilderbrand of Fayette City and Mrs. Eva Stephenson of Brawnsville.

Five members of the Church of Jesus Christ were immersed in the Monongahela river at Roscoe recently. The weather was extermely cold but the wintry blast and icy temperature of the water did not daunt the faith of those who were baptized. Apostle Nephi Federer of Uniontown penformed the ceremony.

At the recent patrons' day of the Roscoe public schools 140 visitors were in attendance. The school spirit at Roscoe was never better than it is this term.

Rev. H. H. Ryland pastor of the Roscoe Presbyterian church is making an effort to get Bibles in the hands of those who do not possess them. He has samples of Bibles on exhibition at the Valley Supply company store, which will be sold to the people at cost.

George Hileman has resigned his position as clerk at the Roscoe Station. He has accepted a position with the Sam Thompson Distilling Co., and will assume his duties there immediately.

California is anticipating a boom on account of the Pittsburg Steel company's proposed extensions across the river on the Forsythe farm at Chamouni. It is stated that work will start during the next sixty days on the extensions. The probable evtension of the Pittsburg Railways street car line to California this season is another cause for the anticipated boom.

Burglars enterer the Hotel Arlington at California one night recently and carried off the following plunder: Three pounds of sirloin steak, three pounds of hamburg steak; five loaves of bread; two quarts of cranberries; nine pounds of butter; two pounds of coffee and one chicken. In view of the high prices of provisions the foray saved the robbers quite a respectable sum in household expenses.

All of the equipment with the exception of the fan, has arrived and has been installed at the glass works at California and the blowers, laborers and boys have been hired and instructed to report this morning. If the fan does not arrive in time the work will be delayed until later in the week.

There will be plenty of baseball at the California Normal this spring. Manager Kirberger is busy scheduling games with outside teams and already has his batteries at work in the cage. As soon as the weather opens up active practice will begin.

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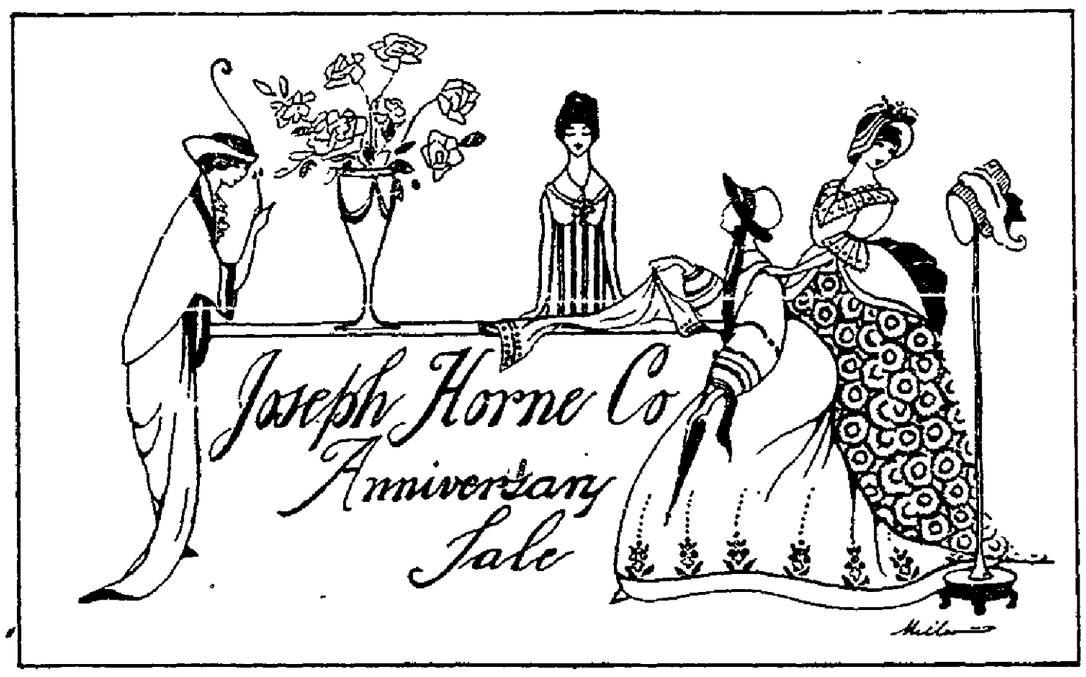

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Horne's 64th Anniversary Sale

Starts Tuesday, March 4th

Here is a list of some of the items which will make this the greatest merchandising event in the history of Pittsburgh

When we announced this sale in this newspaper late last week we promised you an advertisement today containing some of the items that will go into this wonderful sale.

Here they are. Look them over, take into consideration the fine reputation of this old store, and then make plans to go to Horne's during this sale and profit by the amazing savings offered.

This Sale Is a Celebration of 64 years of Prosperity

We are proud of that which we have accomplished. We are grateful for loyal support you have given this store. We are anxious to celebrate. and we want the occasion to be one of great possibilities to you. Practically the only way this store can express its appreciation is by

Offering Our Own High-Standard Merchandise at Wonderfully Low Prices

To do this we obtained the co-operation of wholesalers, importers and manufacturers; then we eliminate profits—frequently selling for less than cost. All this because we feel such is due you who have supported this store. Many families have known us for two or three generations, and we are making new friends each season.

You We Bid Welcome to This Most Splendid Series of Anniversary Sale Offerings

Following is a partial list of 64th Anniversary Sale Bargains. There are hundreds of others throughout various parts of the store:—

Women's $6.50 Ramie Linen Dresses, four colors, sizes 32 to 42 ..... $4.64
Women's $15.00 Silk Poplin Dresses, four colors, sizes 32 to 44 ..... $9.64
Women's $20.00 Tailored Suits; serge; navy or black; sizes 32 to 46 ..... $13.64
Women's $15.00 Topcoats of navy or black whipcord, sizes 32 to 44 ..... $10.64
Women's $6.50 to $7.50 Tailored Skirts, four models, choice $4.64
Women's $1.00 and $1.25 Tailored Washable Waists, three styles, choice 64c
Women's $2.00 to $2.50 Dainty Lingerie Waists, many styles, choice $1.64
Women's $3.75 Silk Waists, semi-tailored, striped patterns, of taffeta, choice $2.64
Women's House Dresses in four different designs, washable, choice $1.64
Women's $2.50 Kimonos, of Serpentine crepe, Empire style, different colors $1.64
Women's $5.00 Silk Kimonos, in Empire style. Four colors. Choice $3.64
Misses' $20 Tailored Serge Suits; good model; navy, brown or black. 14, 16, 18 years $12.64
Girls' $2.50 Russian Wash Dresses, two-piece styles, 6 to 14 years $1.64
Girls' $1.00 Gingham Dresses, sizes 6 to 14 years 64c
Little Girls' $1.00 Percale Dresses, sizes 4, 5 and 6 years 64c
Fine Coutil Corsets, sizes 18 to 30, for the average figure $1.64
$1.00 Corsets of good batiste, sizes 18 to 26. Well made 64c
Women's $1.00 Night Gowns of cambric, high neck, long sleeves 64c
Women's $1.00 Night Gowns of nainsook, chemise style, at 64c
$5.00 Silk Petticoats of fine messaline, silk underlay and dust ruffle $3.64
Women's $1.00 and $1.25 Low Neck, fine ribbed cotton Union Suits, at 64c
$5.00 Filet Lace Stocks, trimmed with hand embroidery, at $2.64
$5.00 Hand Embroidered Linen Collar and Cuff Sets, with Cluny lace $2.64

Women's $6.00 doz. Linen Handkerchiefs, embroidered, dozen $2.64
Women's $1.00 half doz. Linen Handkerchiefs, initial and wreath, 6 for 64c
$2.50 German Silver Ring Mesh Bags, close mesh, silk lined, 4-inch frame $1.64
$5.00 German Silver Indestructible Mesh Bag, gray or polished frame $3.64
$4.00 Seal Hand Bags, tan leather lined, fitted, 8-inch frame $2.64
$5.00 Seal or Walrus Round Bottom Carriage Bags, 10-in. covered frame $3.64
$1.00 Strap Back Vanity Purses, goat walrus, black, and colors 64c
$1.00 Bleached Table Damasks, new patterns, 70 inches; a yard 64c
Large Size Hemmed Huck Towels, extra heavy, monogram design; 3 for 64c
Extra heavy Turkish Towels, hemmed, 22x44 inches; 3 for 64c
12-yard pieces English Nainsook, 36 inches wide, usually $2.50, at $1.64
12-yard pieces English Longcloth, 36 inches wide, usually $2.50, at $1.64
$6.50 White Wool Blankets, blue or pink borders, bound with silk ribbon $4.64
$10.00 Fancy Jacquard Bordered California Wool Blankets, 72x84 in $7.64
$15.00 California Wool Blankets, 80x90 in. fancy jacquard border $9.64
$15.00 Wool Filled Satin Covered Comforts, 72x84 in. figured satin top $9.64
$1.25 Irish Embroidered Pillow Cases, in blue, pink or white, at, pair 64c
Heavy Bleached Muslin Sheets, worth 75c to $1.10, different sizes, each 64c
Hemmed Pillow Cases, were four for $1.00, good quality, at 4 for 64c
Bolster Cases, were 2 for $1.00, 42x76½ inches, at 2 for 64c
$1.25 Crochet Bedspreads, full size, Marseilles weave and patterns, 2 for $1.64
$1.00 and $1.25 Silks, combination and plain weaves, many colors, yd 64c
$5.00 Cowhide Suit Cases, substantially made throughout, 24 inches $3.64

$6.00 and $6.50 Cowhide Traveling Bag, men's or women's, 16 and 17 inches $4.64
$1.00 Rubber Hot Water Bottles, extra quality, 2 qt., at 64c
$1.25 Ebony Hair Brushes, fine bristles, Anniversary price 64c
$2 Quadruple Plate Sandwich Plates, bright pierced and gray etched design $1.64
$2.00 Quadruple Plate Bread Tray, French gray, grape border $1.64
$3.75 Nickel-Silver Casserole, 3 pt., round, new design $2.64
Men's $1.00 Silk Knitted Four-in-Hands, cross stripes 64c
Men's $5c Night Shirts, cambric, made without collars, sizes 15 to 20 ..... 64c
Men's $1.50 Pajamas, mercerized fabric, without collars, 2 suits $2.64
Men's $1.50 Soft Shirts with turn-back cuffs, light colored mercerized fabric, 13½ to 18, two for $1.64
Men's Panama Hats, "seconds" of $7 to $10 ones, sizes 6¾ to 7½, at $4.64
$2.00 Soft Hats, Spring blocks, oxford, steel or brown 64c
"Seconds" of $3.50, $4 and $5 Stiff Hats, defects very slight $1.64
Boys' "Rah Rah" Hats, $1.00 values, sizes 6¾ to 7⅛, at 64c
Boys' $5.00 Fancy Mixed Suits, with extra pair trousers, 10 to 16 years $3.64
Boys' $1.00 Wash Suits, Sailor or Russian, sizes 3 to 10 years 64c
Boys' $2.00 to $4.00 Wash Suits, Sailor and Russian, 3 to 10 years $1.64
Boys' $1.00 Blouses, light striped material, two styles, at 64c
Boys' $1.00 Wool Trousers, in gray and brown mixtures, 5 to 18 years 64c
Boys' $7.50 Blue Serge Norfolk Suits, 5 to 18 year sizes $4.64
$3.00 Marquisette Scrim Curtains, neat block design, pair $1.64
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Scalloped and hem-stitched squares and scarfs, at 29c
Squares, scarfs special 50c
Lace squares and scarfs, special 25c

Apron Specials

One lot aprons, special, each 9c
Large gingham and percale aprons 50c
Percals aprons and bibs 25c

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Children's $1.50 wool sweaters in white and oxford. S. P..... 75c
Misses' $2.00 wool sweaters sizes 30 to 34. S.P....$1.00
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SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Herman Earheart of Mt. Braddock, Fayette county spent a few days with relatives in Charleroi and returned home Sunday.

Miss Mollie Craven an attache of the wholesale millinery store of Pittsburg spent Sunday with friends in Charleroi.

Mrs. H. E. Dawson and daughter, Miss Dorothy are guests of Mrs. Dawson's parents on Crest avenue. Mr. Dawson is here also representing the Beallsville Marble works.

J. F. Winneur of Pittsburgr a former Rochester orchestra man who is on a visit here rendered trombone solos at the First Baptist church Friday night and Sunday has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lewis spent Sunday afternoon and evening in Elizabeth with relatives.

Miss Anna Morgan of California was a visitor in Charleroi.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hobbins and family left today for Butler where the former was transferrel by the West Penn Electic company under a promotion.

William Roberts of Ceylon, Greene county was here Saturday to visit his daughter, Miss Elsie Roberts, who is a student at Douglas Business college.

Mrs. Joseph Taylor was taken to the Allegheny General hospital, at Pittsburg today.. Her sons Frank and Earl accompanied her.

Rev. E. N. Duty is in Pittsburg today.

Rev. F. A.Richards is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Miss Leone Evans has gone to Franklin, to be employed as a milliner.

Mrs. L. T. Jack and daughte, Miss Alberta, are spending the day in Pittsburg.

Miss Florence Frew has gone to Saltsburg.

Real Property.

Now and again things happen on the railroad which go to add to the gravity of the nation. On one occasion, for instance, during a certain league match in the north, the referee somehow managed to lose his whistle. There was not another whistle to be found, and it seemed that the game would have to come to a sudden and inglorious end, until the referee hit upon an ingenious scheme. He produced a latchkey from his pocket and managed to tootle merrily enough on it till suddenly, as he approached the touch line a woman's shrill voice was heard exclaiming:

"Fred, come here at once. Where did you get that latchkey?"

As he listened to the guffaw which went up from the assembled crowd that referee was the most sheepish looking man on the ground, and as he thought of the curtain lecture looming ahead his heart became like lead within his bosom.—London Answers.

A Puzzling Trick.

Take a piece of writing paper about three inches square and with a lead pencil, the point of which has been dipped in water, draw a circle, a square, a triangle or any other geometrical figure. Set the paper carefully on a pan of water, letting it float and leaving the surface dry. Carefully drop water on the surface of the paper until the space within the figure is filled. The moistened pencil lines will keep it from flowing outside the figure. Now place the point of a pin over some point in the figure near the edge. The pin point must penetrate the surface of the water, but must not touch the paper. At once the paper will float around until the pin points directly to the center of the figure. See if you can find out why it does this.

Rats and Water.

Government experiments show that rats can live an indefinite time without water. Three of the animals were put on a diet consisting of bread, meat and cheese, but no water, and all were alive and well sixty days after the experiment was begun. On the fifteenth day one was given an opportunity to drink, but made no attempt to do so. When kept without food, but with water, one rat lived three days, and of six rats deprived of both food and water all died within periods ranging from two to five days.—Chicago News

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A PERSISTENT ABBE.

Romance of Mountain Road Building in the Pyrenees.

C. L. Freeston in "The Passes of the Pyrenees" quotes the story of Felix Armand, cure of St. Martin-Lys, who pierced a road through the magnificent Gorge de Pierre-Lys in order to bring prosperity to his poverty stricken village. The cure himself marked out the route, "hanging like a spider from the end of a rope over the awful precipices of the Pierre-Lys. After five years' incessant toil the workmen reached the huge mass of rock which blocks the gorge near Belvianes." Still he bravely incited his parishioners to presevere until in 1781 the tunnel was pierced which still bears the name of "Le Trou du Cure." The revolution stopped the work, but after the reign of terror the cure set to work anew.

"A pity the man should be a priest," said Napoleon when he heard of Armand's heroic efforts. "I would have made him a general in my army."

The cure's personal bravery was great. Once when a mine was about to explode a muleteer was seen riding round a corner. The priest instantly sprang out and extinguished a slow match just at its last inch. Armand was made an abbe, but he declined to leave his flock and was buried at St Martin-Lys with the cross of the Legion of Honor on his breast

The Famous Old Willow Ware.

You may know a plate of old willow ware by this decoration: On the right there is a mandarin's country seat. In the foreground there should be a pavilion, in the background an orange tree and to the right a peach tree. The place is inclosed by a fence, and through the estate there should wander a brook, and in this brook there is an island high at the left side, with a cottage on it. Over the brook there is a bridge, and on it there should be three figures. The willow tree, the famous willow tree, is at one end and a gardener's cottage at the other. Two birds are high in the air above the picture. The whole is supposed to tell the romance of the mandarin's daughter, who is one of the figures on the bridge. The others are her lover and the mandarin himself. The birds are turtledoves, into which the lovers were changed by the gods that they might escape the wrath of Father Mandarin, who pursued them.

TEST YOUR LUNGS.

A Simple Method by Which One May Measure His Development.

People often suffer from weak, undeveloped lungs without suspecting it. True, small, feeble lungs are usually associated with a small, narrow or sunken chest, but not invariably. By means of the misuse of physical culture it is possible to develop large chest muscles, thus acquiring a big chest measurement, while the lungs remain small and ill nourished.

Again, lung mischief is often so slow and insiduous in its approach that the trouble is not discovered until it is firmly established. Here, however, is a simple test which will tell you whether your lungs are healthy or not.

Take as deep a breath as you can, and then, in a slow but distinct voice count from one onward as far as you can without taking in more breath. The number of seconds you can continue counting is a pretty reliable index to the state of your lungs, so you should have some one to time you.

If your lungs are sound and normally developed your range will be between twenty and thirty-five seconds. If your limit is between ten and twenty seconds, there is no need to be alarmed; probably your lungs are merely in need of exercise, to be readily obtained by regular deep breathing in pure air. A range of less than ten seconds, however, points to more or less mischief, and you should not delay in having your lungs examined by a medical man.—London Answers.

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Funny Blunders.

The following is surely the funniest vote of thanks uttered for a long time. The speaker with evidently the best intentions in the world nervously blundered along through various sentences complimentary to the lecturer and finally flickered out feebly thus: "And so I propose a vote of thanks for the lecture to which we have so ably listened." The audience was so wearied that it did not notice the fatuous remark, and only the lecturer smiled.

It is fit to be placed beside another muddle headed sentence made in conversation to a north London clergyman. A man had been pressing his views energetically on a certain question when suddenly he paused and, looking at the clergyman, said briskly, "And now, sir, what is your humble opinion?"—London Tit-Bits.

Indian Names.

The finest Indian names are those which belong to the cloud clan. All these names are derived from meteorological phenomena. They are the hardest of names to translate from Indian into English. The great cloud clan Sioux, whose name was really Eclipse, was always known to the whites as Hole-in-the-Day. A certain cloud clan girl, whose name was derived from the beautiful phenomenon of the slow advance of the approaching rain cloud, was known to the whites as Walking Rain—a pretty name, but one requiring explanation to a tenderfoot.—Exchange.

Old Times In New York.

In 1789 New York city maintained an official who would whip a servant, either free or slave, for the master, charging a shilling for the job. Petty thieves were branded for life with a "T" on the cheek. Mrs. Johanna Young and another woman convicted of grand larceny were driven all over the city in an open cart, then stripped to the waist and given thirty-nine lashes apiece in public and then banished, "whereupon," says the record, "they went to Philadelphia."

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West Side Company Working on Extension From Charleroi

BUSY IN BENTLEYVILLE

Expect to Finish Up Work of Grading There--Line Goes to Ellsworth

While work is proceeding on the grading of the route through Bentleyville and Ellsworth boroughs for their street car line, efforts are being made by the West Side company to secure the final rights of way that will permit the building of a trolley line from Charleroi to Bentleyville. The work in Bentleyville borough is being hastened to the greatest extent possible. The franchise calls for a completion of the tracks within eighteen months after its granting. The time will be up the latter part of this year. It is the intention to have the line completed by summer.

Through Bentleyville to the terminal point in Ellsworth the West Side line will be laid over a course two milesor more in length.

The line between Charleroi and Bentleyville will be built if the desired right of way can be secured. Considerable of the necessary land along the proposed route has been bought up, but there is also considerable right of way to be secured.

The West Side company has declared itself willing to pay what it thinks resonable for right of way. It does not desire to institute condemnation proceedings. There can be no time limit placed on the construction of the connecting link as it all depends on the right of way.

DEATH RESULTS FROM ATTACK OF MEASLES

James Alexander Williams, aged 18 months, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Williams of 207 McKean avenue, died Saturday night from at attack of the measles. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock conducted by Rev J R. Burson of the Washington avenue Presbyterian church. Interment was in the Charleroi cemetery.

Hear Local Man's Song.

For the first time probably the song, "The Pilgrim's Vision," composed by Prof. I. T. Daniel, music supervisor in the schools was heard in Charleroi Sunday night. Miss Mary Glunt, soprano, sang it at the First Methodist Episcopal church. The song is a most execellent composition. Prof. Daniel composed the song years ago.

State Wrestlers Win.

Among the State wrestlers who won notable victories for their college at Carnell, were Dexter Very, the popular athlete and Levi Lamb of California. Very won in the 58 pound class in 2 minutes from Ryder of Cornell and Lamb won in the heavy weight class in 8 minutes and 22 seconds olver Davidson of Cornell.

Is Director Large Choir

Prof. I. T. Daniel Conducts Organization of 1,000 Voices at Pittsburg

Prof. I. T. Daniel was in Pittsburg Saturday night attending the St. David's celebration given underauspices of the St. David's society. The affair was attended by Welsh people from all parts of the state. Immense choirs sang famous Welsh songs. Prof. Daniel was conductor of one of the choirs of 1,000 voices that rendered the song, "Diadem." Rev. William Foulks a well known New York rector wasthe chief speaker of the evening.

TO FILL OFFICES

Wilson Has Many Appointments to Make in Pennsylvania

APPLICANTS ANXIOUS

There are 544 postmasterships to be distributed in Pennsylvania by President-elect Woodrow Wilson after he asuumes the Presidency. Among these will be the Charleroi postmastership, for which at last report there were four Democrats in good and regular standing aspiring.

Some self-proud Republicans are going to be woefully disappointed in Pennsylvania. From 60 to 70 commissions have expired. President Taft nominated men for these places. All are being held up by Democrats in the Senate until after Wilson takes the chair. The greater part of the Republicans so classified will likely through this means lose their postoffice jobs. The salaries of the 544 offices to be filled range from $1,000 to $8,000 per year, the aggregate being $983,600.

Seventeen postmasters are to be appointed during the Wilson administration in Washington county. The salaries aggregate $30,500 a year. With the time of their appointment, and the salaries they receive annully, they are:

Bentleyville, Loretta N. Young, July 5, 1910, $1,400.

Burgettstown, J. P. Shillito, March 11, 1911, $1,600.

California, Wm. W. Latta, March 11, 1911, $2,000.

Canonsburg, T. M. Reese, March 20, 1911, $2,400.

Charleroi, J. E. McCardle, June 26, 1909, $2,500.

Claysville, Jas. W. Grimes, March 11, 1911, $1,500.

Coal Centre, Jennie M. Smith, May 22,1912, $1,300.

Donora, Roman E. Koehler, January. 25, 1911, $2,400.

Ellsworth, H. B. Kingensmith, January 29, 1910, $1,400.

McDonald, H. P. Williams, June 16, 1909, $2,200.

Midway, T. E. McLaughlin, May 26, 1911, $1,000.

Monongahela, D. C. Parkinson, June 26, 1912, $2,600.

Roscoe, J. R. Underwood, April 22, 1909, $1,000.

Washington, J. T.Hemphill, Feb. 4, 1911, $3,100.

West Alexander, Helen P. Howell, April 27, 1909, $1,000.

West Brownsville, John B. Mont, June 18, 1912, $1,100.

Among the postoffice appointments held up because of the change in administration was that at Monessen, where Edward M. Frye is now postmaster at a salary of $2,600. Uniontown's postmaster appointment is also held up. There the incumbent is receiving $3,100 a year. In Fayette county among the places where appointments are to be made are Belle Vernon, where F. A. Springer is postmaster, at asalary of $1,800 and Fayette City, where Alex C. Alton is postmaster, at a salary of $1,600.

BRIGADE IN SHAPE FOR INAUGURATION

Charleroi Organization Arrives Safely at National Capital--"Fine Weather" Report From Captain Jolliffe

"Arrived O K 7:45 p. m. Every one in good shape. All arrangements made. Attended church service in body. Weather fine," is a telegram received this morning from Capt. R. Dale Jolliffe of the Charleroi Brigade, which is in Washington to attend the inauguration of President-elect Wilson. In the company are 25 men.

The latter part of the week is perhaps the most interesting. When the brigade left Charleroi Sunday morning, the Sunday blizzard was at its worst. Things looked bad then for the inauguration. Evidently the storm missed Washington.

Today the members of the brigade are sightseeing. One of the chief features will be the suffragette parade, which the brigade together with other military companies will witness n a body.

TERRAPIN NOT AN ANIMAL; SERPENT

Westmoreland Official Renders Decision of Grave Importance to Science

What is a turtle? This was the legal question that came before 'Squire Irwin I. Hunter, a justice of the peace at Greensburg, when Humane Agent Harry Hazlett brought Norman B. Gibson before the magistrate on a charge of cruelty to animals.

The Greensburg baggage men were disturbed over the mysterious sounds emitted from a suitcase which arrived there at 7:05 o'clock last Friday evening and was left in the baggage room. After considerable speculation it was decided that there was a baby inside.

Gibson, who is a traveling salesman for the Bellefonte Match company, arrived later and asked for the grip. He was confronted by officers, who demanded to know the contents. Gibson cheerfully opened the suitcase and displayed four diamondback terrapins, for which he said he had paid $15 in Baltimore. Agent Hazlett arrested Gibson for cruelty to animals and took him before Justice Hunter. Justice Hunter, after a thorough search of judicial findings and court rulings, decided terrapins were not animals, but serpents. Gibson was discharged. The terrapins, according to Gibson, will go to make a feast for several Pittsburg friends.

CHILD DIES FROM PNEUMONIA ATTACK

Hannah Adeline Christie, aged 20 months and 21 days, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hal. Christie of 212 Prospect avenue, died Saturday night from measles and pneumonia having been seriously ill a week. The child was a member of the cradle roll of the First Christian Sunday school. Funeral services were conducted at the home this afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. J. T. Hackett and interement was in the Charleroi cemetery.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mansfield of Lookout avenue March 3 a daughter.

LIVED HERE FOR TWENTY YEARS

John Watkinson Dies at Home on Washington Avenue Early This Morning

John Watkinson, aged 43 years,one of the early residents of Charleroi died at his home at 635 Washington avenue, this morning at 1:55 o'clock from tuberculosis, from which he has been ill. Mr. Watkinson came to Charleroi about 20 years ago, to take employment in the Pittsburg Plate Glass plant. He has lived here ever since. For three years previous to his taking ill he worked at the Pittsburg Steel mill at Monessen.

Surviving are his widow and one daughter, Miss Lena aged 12; his mother, Mrs. Mariah Geary of Charleroi; two brothers, Luke of Indiana, and Peter of Charleroi; four sisters, Mrs. William Appleton of Indiana, Miss Margaret Watkinson of Indiana, Mrs. Claney Davis of Marion, Ind., and Mrs. Jos. Matthhews of Youngstown, Ohio.

Mr. Watkinson was a member of St. Mary's Episcopal church. He also was a member of the Order of Sons of St. George, the order of Red Men and Charleroi Aerie of Eagles. Two from each order will serve as pallbearers.

Funera lservices will be held att he late home at 12:30 o'clock on Wednesday, Rev. L. W. Shey of St. Mary's Episcopal church will be in charge of the services with Rev. F. A. Richards of the Methodist Episcopal church assisting. The body will be taken by special trolley car to Mt. Lebanon near Pittsburg for interment.

Disturbance Costs $47.

It cost John Plusco, John and Jim Cander between them about $47 to repair the damage they caused on the evening train coming form Brownsville Sunday evening. They raised a disturbance with Conductor Joe C. Smith whom they are said to have undertaken to beat up. His eye glasses were broken and it is stated a car window was broken. They were taken off the train here. Information was made against them before Justice of the Peace Wheeler. They agreed to pay for the damage and on the charge of disorderly conduct plead guilty paying the costs and a small fine.

Concert.

Given by the Louhi Band of Monessen and the Swedish Glee Club of Pittsburg under theauspices of Balder Lodge, No. 53, S. B. of A., Monessen Opera House, Saturday, March 8, 1913, at 8 o'clock. Admission 50 cents. 187eod-t3p

Miss Georgene Parsons has gone to Pittsburg where she will visit a few days before going to Erie where she and her father, B. L. Parsons, will make their future home.

D. N. Hall is in Pittsburg today.

Mrs. C. C. Wright and Mrs. Leroy Harris are in Pittsburg today to attend the recital tonight to be given at Carnegie Music Hall by Mme. Sembrich.

D. C. Whitlatch and Floyd Chalfant are in Pittsburg to attend the Sembrich recital at Carnegie Music hall tonight.

PAXTON IS SUCCESSOR TO M'GOWAN AT LOCK

Claimed to be Modern Fagin

Man Arrested With Boy Said to be Protege--Had Copper Wire in Possession

Arrests were made by the police Saturday night of a man giving his name as Miller and a boy who said his name was Bostmus. They had at the time in their possession a quantity of copper wire which it was alleged they took from a Carnegie Coal company's storehouse. The boy told a story to Chief of Police Albright that would indicate he was a sort of a protege of Miller, who is supposed to have acted the part of Fagin.

GETS BILL IN SHAPE

Gov. Tener's Non-Partisian Ballot Measure to be Presented

MEETS WITH APPROVAL

A non-partisan ballot bill prepared at the instance of Gov. John K. Tener will be introduced in the state legislature within a few days. Reports from Harrisburg are that the bill will pass, and that the elections this fall will be held under its provisions. The leaders of all factions and all parties appear to me united for it. Gov. Tener in outlining the bill said:

"By the method proposed in the non-partisan bill there will be no political parties except in state and national elections. The evils that have arisen through factional fights through the formation of mushroom parties through nomination papers after a primary will be eliminated. This will be done by the following method:

"A certain percentage of the voters will place in nomination candidates for the respective offices at the primaries. The primary candidate who receives a majority of the vote cast over all his opponents will be unopposed at the election. In case of no majority for any one candidate the two leading candidates at the primaries will become the candidates at the general election."

Coal Center Nest, No. 1815, Order of Owls was organized at Coal Center last week with about 300 charter members from Coal Center and California by Organizer A. A. Humphries. The officers are: President, W. E. Cross; vice president, Louis Kettler; secretary, William Sloan; treasurer, Frank Miller.

Lenten services at St. Mary's Episcopal church Wednesday afternoon will be omitted as Rev. Shey is to officiate at the funeral of the late John Watkinson on the afternoon of that day.

Assistant Lockmaster Assumes Position at No 4

IN SERVICE 21 YEARS

Came Here From California to Tend Lock--Makes Report of Coal Trade

Twenty-one years of faithful service first as a lock tender and later as an assistant lockmaster at Lock No. 4 has won for George W. Paxton the appointment of lockmaster to succeed the late Abraham F. McGowan. The appointment has just been confirmed by the government authorities. Mr. Paxton has assumed hi sduties. Charles Taylor of Elizabeth has been appointed an assistant lockmaster. P. E. Krahmer, who for years has been connected with the work at Lock No. 4 will retain his place as an assistant lockmaster.

Mr. Paxton came to Lock No. 4 from California 21 years ago, being employed as locktender. Thirteen years ago he was appointed to the position of assistant lockmaster, a position he has held since.

One of his first official acts was preparing the report of the lock for the month of February. He gave out this report this morning. Coal shipments aggregated 18,048,000 bushels. The January coal shipments were less, totaling only 16,974,000.

Down stream during February the report was as follows: Lockages, 701; steamers, 371; coal boats, barges and flats, 1,483. Up stream records were: Lockages, 715; steamers, 378; coal boats barges and flats 1,454.

The rainfall was heavy during February being 5.83 inches.

FATHER OF MRS. L. W. SHEY DIES

Robert N. Hazlett of Wheeling, 68 years old, father of Mrs. L. W. Shey of California died at his home in that city Sunday. Mrs. Shey was at the bedside of her father at the time of his death. Mr. Hazlett was for 40 years connected with the official staff of the Western Union Telegraph company at Wheeling. He was a son of the late Dr. R. N. Hazlett of Pittsburg one of the most noted physicians of that city during his lifetime, and a brother of the late John M. Hazlett, formerly city editor of the Pittsburg Leader. Mr. Hazlett was a civil war veteran having served four years in the United States cavalry. Rev. L. W. Shey will go to Wheeling to attend the funeral which will be held tomorrow.

Notice to the Public.

On and after April first, 1913, the stone masons and the stone quarrymen of Monessen and Charleroi will operate on the eight hour per day system. The stone masons will exact fifty cents per hour and the quarrymen thirty-three cents. This change is made by the mutual agreement of the workmen.

187-t6p (Signed) Committee.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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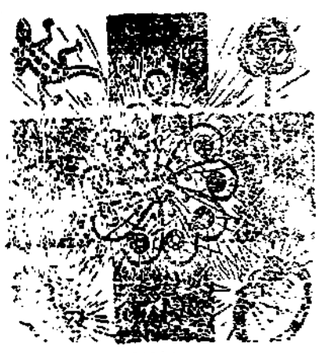

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TO OTHER HANDS.

With this week about every department of the federal government passes into the hands of the Democratic party. The administrative and legislative branches with which the fate of the country must rest will be entrusted entirely to Democracy. Peace, prosperity and general good feeling are the conspicuous features of existing conditions and there is a general dsposition to be confident of continued happiness.

The radical change in government policy does not result from Republican default. Political discontent has been largely responsible for the changed conditions and in handing over to its ancient enemy the reins of Federal government the Republican party properly feels that in the last quarter of a century it has performed its bounden duty to all the people. The Republican partly devoted its energies and intelligence to the people's best interests, always looking to the rights of every citizen and with no sectional preferences. Democracy, therefore, need have no uneasiness about Republican support in good government movements. The snags and hindrances threatening are almost certain to come from Democratic sources and in its efforts to govern the country its greatest task is likely to be found in governing itself.

There will be only a mild form of comfort for the regular Republicans of Pennsylvania in the change of government authorities. This State will continue to stand as it has stood for years firm in its devotion to the system of protection and consequent prosperity and the government now being administered in ths State is certain to be a guide for all other States in hurrying back to Republican rule and Republican principles of adminstraton.

OUR ROAD PROJECT.

As state highway commissioner, and the head of a project to improve and reconstruct 8,000 miles of roads, Edward M. Bigelow ranks with the great railroad kings, the Hills, the Harrimans, the Goulds an dothers, including the Pennsylvania, the New York Central and the Baltimore and Ohio railroads whose operations are in this state, and which are more or less familiar to the public. While some of the systems have assumed gigantic proportions by combinations and acquisitions, it is probable that not one of these great railroad men ever started out on so large a scale o operations with so many miles of road under his jurisdiction as Mr. Bigelow. A new railroad project of 8,000 miles to start with, would be considered one of the gigantic projects of the age.

Mr. Bigelow is being criticised for spending money lavishly on the preliminary surveys and engineering and on the contracts already let. In so gigantic a project as taking over, improving and reconstructing 8,000 miles of roads it may be possible that some mistakes were made, and that everything was not done to the best advantage or as efficiently as it might have been. However, many times the sums expended by Mr. Bigelow and many times the apparent errors and inefficiency—if any existed—can be found in connection with every vast railroad project, and no one thinks anything about it, as it is conceded that in so big a project some errors and derelictions are unavoidable.

Pennsylvania has undertaken a vast work that will benefit every individual and every business interest in the commonwealth and it should be the mission of all to encourage and help along the project instead of trying to kill it because of some alleged mistakes or errors that have been asserted and not substantiated.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Even the best motives sometimes get a man in wrong.

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Jim Thorpe in batting practice would be a good advertising card for New York, even if he doesn't ever live up to his agent's dream.

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Judging from the pictures of the suffrage hikers they would appear to better advantage hiking back and forth between the dining room and kitchen.

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Members of Taft's cabinet are getting ready to retire. However, there is no occasion for surprise in this announcement.

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A railroad spends a little bit of money and gets efficiency, but if the government tries for efficiency by the same methods, the people who think they know and don't cry murder.

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"I shall have the pleasure of being a private citizen for three days."—President Wilson. He didn't say that when he was merely a college president.

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Those Latin Senators.

Senator Bacon, president pro tempore, laid before the senate the papers in the case of Philip Mitchell, administrator de bonus non cum testamento annexo of the estate of William Hoffman.—Congressional Record.

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Marshall looks too young to make a good vice president.

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In the Lovelorn Department.

Dear Editress: I am a girl of 21 and have the habit of being proud. Can I Correct this fault?—Flossie.

Gee, Floss, get married.

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Dress and dancing cause the downfall of most girls, says a noted evangelist. He must be talking of hobble skirts.

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A girl who doesn't like dogs is a girl whose acquaintance is worth cultivating, because she's so different.

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President-elect Wilson's wife doesn't appear to be a succesful painter. But what a relief to know a reputation for a family doesn't make an art gallery.

A Matter of Concentration.

The difference between a good woman and a bad woman is that a bad woman raises hell with a number of men while a good woman raises hell with but one.—Ed. Howe.

Real Article is Tractable.

What a tame thing real love is when compared with the fierce, undying brand you see on the stage.—Chicago News.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

What constitutes culture? This question is asked and analyzed in a recent editorial in the Washington Reporter, prompted by an incident witnessed by the writer that occurred at the county seat:

"In a local restaurant an ordinary hard working man was eating his evening meal and during the proceeding made use of the broad flat blade of his knife to transfer food from his plate to his mouth. Into the restaurant walked three young men, youths possibly seeking an education in our local institutions of learning. They spied the gentleman who found plenteous use for his knife and gave themselves over to guying and chaffing the man who would fall so low as to eat with his knife.

"We propound to our readers a question: Where was the evidence of the greater lack of culture and refinement—On the part of the man eating with his knife or on the part of the youths who made sport of that man in a public place?

"It is well to remember sometimes that culture is not always bounded entirely by the particular manner in which we use a knife at table or in which we manipulate a spoon in a bowl of noodle soup. There are times when culture and refinement may be something more than that; when they may have a finer meaning; when they may be above the mere physical habits of an individual whether that individual happen to have college traning or not."

"Talk about thrift," said a traveling man, who spent Sunday in Charleroi, "one of the most striking incidents that ever came to my notice occurred in a small town in the eastern part of the state where I happened to be last summer. A thrifty German kept a general country store, where he carried a little of everything and in addition to being the local justice of the peace conducted a small circulating library. While I was in the store a girl brought back a book, which she had taken from the library. The old German carefully examined the book, and said:

"Look here, there is a hole on page 16 of this book. You know you have to pay for all damages."

Then turning the leaf over, he again exclaimed:

"And see here," theer is another hole on page 17. I charge you five cents apiece for each of dem holes."

A FE W SMILES.

Those Dear Girls Again.

Clara—Rose told me that you told her that secret I told you not to tell her.

Belle—She's a mean thing! I told her not to tell you.

Clara—Well, I told her I wouldn't tell you she told me, so don't tell her I did—Lippincott's.

Held Her Audience.

"My wife is a wonderful vocalist. Why, I have known her to hold her audience for hours.—"

"Get out!"

"After which she would lay it in the cradle and rock it to sleep."—Tennesseean.

The Small Boy Again.

"Bobby, do you see thatbright star overhead, at the top of the big cross?"

"Yes."

"Yes."

"Well, that's Deneb. It is nearly three quadrillions of miles away."

"Huh! Then how do you know its name is Deneb?"—Chicago Tribune.

Campaign at Home.

Knicker—Your girls going to travel this summer?

Bocker—No; they will stay at home and make a porch campaign—New York Sun.

Natural Hesitation.

"Now that your parents have put you through college, why are you waiting before you pick out a career?"

"Why," replied the sweet girl graduate, "I'm waiting to see if some one won't pick me out."—Judge.

Habit.

They say that Mrs. Newrich was a kitchen maid before she married."

"That accounts for her ability to cook up stories and roast her neighbors!"—Judge.

Where to Locate a Church

Anthony Kosarsky and another foreigner were arrested Sunday for fighting. It is alleged that they were discussing the matter of a location for a new church proposed to be built by a local foreign congregation. Disagreement led it is stated to the fight.

DIVIDENDS AMOUNT TO $414,175,000

Including the payment of $6,807,169 to the 75,492 holders of Pennsylvania Railroad stock, the company paid in dividends since its beginning, $414,175,007, a sum almost equal to its present outstanding capital stock of $453,877,950.

Nearly one-third, or 23,968, of the shareholders live in Pennsylvania. In New England there are 15,584 shareholders, and in New York 12,966. There are 10,646 shareholders in Europe.

A compilation of the total number of public sharholders in subsidiary corporations controlled by the Pennsylvania Railroad shows such holders to the number of 21,458, which not allowing for duplications, makes 96,945 registered shareholders in the different companies of the Pennsylvania system.

State Must Pay for Insane.

The state must pay for the support of the criminal insane confined in state hospitals for the insane, according to an opinion handed down this week by the supreme court. The decision will have a vital bearing on the finances of Washington and every other county in the commonwealth which have been paying the state hospitals for the support of the criminal insane sent by them to such hospitals. The issue was brought by Lycoming county, which sends its criminal insane to the hospital at Danville.

Committed to Jail.

At a hearing before Squire E. T. Graham at Gallatin Friday afternoon. John Moore, the negro, who on Wednesday shot State Trooper Herbert Shearer at Elkhorn, was committed to jail to await the outcome of Shearer's injuries. Sergeant Stout of the local division took the negro to the Allegheny county jail. Private Shearer who is at the Memorial hospital at Monongahela is getting along as well as could be expected.

Those Modern Gowns.

A married man's life is simply one d—d hook after another.—American Magazine.

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UP THE RIVER

Miss Lillian E. Graham, who has taught in Belle Vernon's schools for 17 years with the exception of three years when her parents did not reside there, severs her connections with thes chool this week and began Monday morning in the schools of Pittsburg. She will be succeeded by Miss Lina Grove of No. 7 and Miss Florence Hambrey of Donora has been elected to the room vacated by Miss Grove.

Belle Vernon has been decidedly in the social and civic swim lately. During the past two weeks there have been held a fireman's smoker, a banquet of the Civic League, patron's day in the public schools, entertainment by the schools, Frances Willard Memorial day, and celebration of Washington's an Lincoln's birthdays.

Dr. C. L. E. Cartwright will lecture in the First Presbyterian church at Belle Vernon on Thursday evening on the subject " How Goood It Is To Live."

David Krepps, aged citizen of Allenport has not been able to leave the house since the death of his wife some months ago. Mr. Krepps is very feeble but is not confined to his bed and is able to still greet his many firends when they call.

Since the raid at the cock fight last week there's a number of Fayette City married men who are conducting themselves very circumspectly and trying hard to re-instate themselves in the esteem of their families In these same families the wife can get about everything she wants, if she designs to injest a few kind words in her request.

Mrs John Campbell of Roscoe suffered a stroke of paralysis and her condition is considered very serious. Her entire left side is affected She is being taken care of by her nieces Misses Della and Edna Hilderbrand of Fayette City and Mrs. Eva Stephenson of Brownsville.

Five members of the Church of Jesus Christ were immersed in the Monongahela river at Roscoe recently The weather was extermely cold but the wintry blast and icy temperature of the water did not daunt the faith of those who were baptized. Apostle Nephi Federer of Uniontown performed the ceremony

At the recent patrons' day of the Roscoe public schools 140 visitors were in attendance The school spirit at Roscoe was never better than it is this term

Rev H H Ryland pastor of the Roscoe Presbyterian church is making an effort to get Bibles in the hands of those who do not possess them He has samples of Bibles on exhibition at the Valley Supply company store, which will be sold to the people at cost.

George Hileman has resigned his position as clerk at the Roscoe Station. He has accepted a position with the Sam Thompson Distilling Co, and will assume his duties there immediately.

California is anticipating a boom on account of the Pittsburg Steel company's proposed extensions across the river on the Forsythe farm at Chamouni It is stated that work will start during the next sixty days on the extensions The probable extension of the Pittsburg Railways street car line to California this season is another cause for the anticipated boom.

Burglars enterer the Hotel Arlington at California one night recently and carried off the following plunder: Three pounds of sirloin steak, three pounds of hamburg steak; five loaves of bread; two quarts of cranberries; nine pounds of butter; two pounds of coffee and one chicken. In view of the high prices of provisions the loray saved the robbers quite a respectable sum in household expenses.

All of the equipment with the exception of the fan, has arrived and has been installed at the glass works at California and the blowers, laborers and boys have been hired and instructed to report this morning if the fan does not arrive in time the work will be delayed until later in the week.

There will be plenty of baseball at the California Normal this spring. Manager Kirberger is busy scheduling games with outside teams and already has his batteries at work in the cage. As soon as the weather opens up active practice will begin.

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Horne's 64th Anniversary Sale

Starts Tuesday, March 4th

Here is a list of some of the items which will make this the greatest merchandising event in the history of Pittsburgh

When we announced this sale in this newspaper late last week we promised you an advertisement today containing some of the items that will go into this wonderful sale.

Here they are. Look them over, take into consideration the fine reputation of this old store, and then make plans to go to Horne's during this sale and profit by the amazing savings offered.

This Sale Is a Celebration of 64 years of Prosperity

We are proud of that which we have accomplished. We are grateful for loyal support you have given this store. We are anxious to celebrate, and we want the occasion to be one of great possibilities to you. Practically the only way this store can express its appreciation is by

Offering Our Own High-Standard Merchandise at Wonderfully Low Prices

To do this we obtained the co-operation of wholesalers, importers and manufacturers; then we eliminate profits—frequently selling for less than cost. All this because we feel such is due you who have supported this store. Many families have known us for two or three generations, and we are making new friends each season.

You We Bid Welcome to This Most Splendid Series of Anniversary Sale Offerings

Following is a partial list of 64th Anniversary Sale Bargains. There are hundreds of others throughout various parts of the store:—

Women's $6 50 Ramie Linen Dresses, four colors, sizes 32 to 42 ..... $4.64

Women's $15 00 Silk Poplin Dresses, four colors, sizes 32 to 44 ..... $9 64

Women's $20 00 Tailored Suits; serge; navy or black; sizes 32 to 46 ..... $13.64

Women's $15.00 Topcoats of navy or black whipcord, sizes 32 to 44 ..... $10.64

Women's $6 50 to $7 50 Tailored Skirts, four models, choice $4.64

Women's $1 00 and $1.25 Tailored Washable Waists, three styles, choice 64c

Women's $2.00 to $2 50 Dainty Lingerie Waists, many styles, choice $1.64

Women's $3.75 Silk Waists, semi-tailored, striped patterns, of taffeta, choice $2.64

Women's House Dresses in four different designs, washable, choice $1.64

Women's $2.50 Kimonos, of Serpentine crepe, Empire style, different colors $1.64

Women's $5 00 Silk Kimonos, in Empire style. Four colors Choice $3.64

Misses' $20 Tailored Serge Suits; good model; navy, brown or black. 14. 16, 18 years ... $12.64

Girls' $2.50 Russian Wash Dresses, two-piece styles, 6 to 14 years $1.64

Girls' $1 00 Gingham Dresses, sizes 6 to 14 years 64c

Little Girls' $1.00 Percale Dresses, sizes 4, 5 and 6 years 64c

Fine Coutil Corsets, sizes 18 to 30, for the average figure $1.64

$1.00 Corsets of good batiste, sizes 18 to 26. Well made 64c

Women's $1 00 Night Gowns of cambric, high neck, long sleeves 64c

Women's $1 00 Night Gowns of nainsook, chemise style at 64c

$5 00 Silk Petticoats of fine messaline, silk underlay and dust ruffle $3.64

Women's $1.00 and $1 25 Low Neck, fine ribbed cotton Union Suits, at 64c

$5.00 Filet Lace Stocks, trimmed with hand embroidery, at $2.64

$5.00 Hand Embroidered Linen Collar and Cuff Sets, with Cluny lace $2.64

Women's $6 00 doz Linen Handkerchiefs embroidered, dozen $2.64

Women's $1.00 half doz. Linen Handkerchiefs, initial and wreath, 6 for 64c

$2.50 German Silver Ring Mesh Bags, close mesh, silk lined, 4-inch frame. $1.64

$5.00 German Silver Indestructible Mesh Bag, gray or polished frame $3.64

$4.00 Seal Hand Bags, tan leather lined, fitted, 8-inch frame $2.64

$5 00 Seal or Walrus Round Bottom Carriage Bags, 10-in covered frame $3.64

$1.00 Strap Back Vanity Purses, goat walrus, black, and colors 64c

$1.00 Bleached Table Damasks, new patterns, 70 inches; a yard 64c

Large Size Hemmed Huck Towels, extra heavy, monogram design; 3 for 64c

Extra heavy Turkish Towels, hemmed, 22x44 inches, 3 for 64c

12-yard pieces English Nainsook, 36 inches wide, usually $2 50 at $1.64

12-yard pieces English Longcloth, 36 inches wide, usually $2 50, at $1.64

$6 50 White Wool Blankets, blue or pink borders, bound with silk ribbon $4.64

$10 00 Fancy Jacquard Bordered California Wool Blankets, 72x84 in $7 64

$15.00 California Wool Blankets, 80x90 in. fancy jacquard border $9.64

$15.00 Wool Filled Satin Covered Comforts, 72x84 in. figured satin top $9.64

$1.25 Irish Embroidered Pillow Cases, in blue, pink or white, at, pair 64c

Heavy Bleached Muslin Sheets, worth 75c to $1.10, different sizes, each 64c

Hemmed Pillow Cases, were four for $1 00, good quality, at 4 for 64c

Bolster Cases, were 2 for $1 00, 42x76½ inches at 2 for 64c

$1 25 Crochet Bedspreads, full size, Marseilles weave and patterns, 2 for $1.64

$1.00 and $1 25 Silks, combination and plain weaves, many colors, yd 64c

$5.00 Cowhide Suit Cases, substantially made throughout, 24 inches $3.64

$6 00 and $6 50 Cowhide Traveling Bag, men's or women's, 16 and 17 inches $4.64

$1 00 Rubber Hot Water Bottles, extra quality, 2 qt., at 64c

$1.25 Ebony Hair Brushes, fine bristles, Anniversary price 64c

$2 Quadruple Plate Sandwich Plates, bright pierced and gray etched design $1.64

$2 00 Quadruple Plate Bread Tray, French gray, grape border $1.64

$3 75 Nickel-Silver Casserole, 3 pt., round, new design $2.64

Men's $1.00 Silk Knitted Four-in-Hands, cross stripes 64c

Men's 85c Night Shirts, cambric, made without collars, sizes 15 to 20 ..... 64c

Men's $1 50 Pajamas, mercerized fabric, without collars, 2 suits $2.64

Men's $1 50 Soft Shirts with turn-back cuffs, light colored mercerized fabric, 13½ to 18, two for $1.64

Men's Panama Hats, "seconds" of $7 to $10 ones, sizes 6⅝ to 7½, at $4.64

$2 00 Soft Hats, Spring blocks, oxford, steel or brown 64c

"Seconds" of $3.50, $4 and $5 Stiff Hats, defects very slight $1.64

Boys' "Rah Rah" Hats, $1.00 values, sizes 6¼ to 7⅛, at 64c

Boys' $5.00 Fancy Mixed Suits, with extra pair trousers, 10 to 16 years $3.64

Boys' $1 00 Wash Suits, Sailor or Russian, sizes 3 to 10 years 64c

Boys' $2 00 to $4 00 Wash Suits, Sailor and Russian, 3 to 10 years $1.64

Boys' $1 00 Blouses light striped material, two styles, at 64c

Boys' $1.00 Wool Trousers, in gray and brown mixtures, 5 to 18 years 64c

Boys' $7.50 Blue Serge Norfolk Suits, 5 to 18 year sizes $4.64

$3.00 Marquisette Scrim Curtains, neat block design, pair $1.64

Colored pictures in gilt frames, worth $1.25, at 64c

Three large fruit pictures in one frame—three openings, worth $2.00 ..... $1.64

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THE MODERN STORE

OUR ANNUAL WHITE SALE

Is an annual forerunner of Spring.

We've sold great quantities of muslin underwear, white goods. etc., but there is plenty more. This sale will continue until Monday March 10th. All these muslins have been made to our order, and you'll surely find what you want in this stock.

Shirt Waists

Just received a lot of grey flannel waists and a lot of grey and white and blue and white striped Eden cloth waists, with Robespierre collars at.....$1.00

We have just opened up a lot of beautiful plain tailored waists, and they're cheap at $1.00

Just received a lot of plain tailored initial waists. On sale at.....$1.25

Lingree waists made of voile, batiste, and crepe, priced $2.00 to $10.00. For White Sale one-fourth off

The new Tuxedo waist is the newest thing to wear with suits. They come in batistes and crepes. Batiste Tuxedos, $3.00, Crepe Tuxedos $5.00

Art Goods

Lace trimmed and embroidered squares and scarfs, $1.25 values.....98c
Scalloped and hem-stitched squares and scarfs, at 29c
Squares, scarfs special 50c
Lace squares and scarfs, special 25c

Apron Specials

One lot aprons, special, each 9c
Large gingham and percale aprons 50c
Percals aprons and bibs 25c

Sweaters

Children's $1.50 wool sweaters in white and oxford. S. P..... 75c
Misses' $2.00 wool sweaters sizes 30 to 34. S.P....$1.00
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Tuesday, March 4. "Lost Memory." in three parts. "Calamity Anne's Inheritance." American.

"Evidence of the Film," Thanhouser, and "A Night of Terror," Reliance. Children, 5c. Adults, 10c.

Friday, March 7. "A Blue Grass Romance," a two reel Broncho Bill and his chum, tired of married life and neighbors. 5c.

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SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Herman Earheart of Mt. Braddock, Fayette county spent a few days with relatives in Charleroi and returned home Sunday.

Miss Mollie Craven an attache of the wholesale millinery store of Pittsburg spent Sunday with friends in Charleroi.

Mrs. H. E. Dawson and daughter, Miss Dorothy are guests of Mrs. Dawson's parents on Crest avenue. Mr. Dawson is here also representing the Beallsville Marble works.

J. F. Winneur of Pittsburgr a former Rochester orchestra man who is on a visit here rendered trombone solos at the First Baptist church Friday night and Sunday has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lewis spent Sunday afternoon and evening in Elizabeth with relatives.

Miss Anna Morgan of California was a visitor in Charleroi.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hobbins and family left today for Butler where the former was transferrel by the [illegible] company under a promotion.

William Roberts of Ceylon, Greene county was here Saturday to visit his daughter, Miss Elsie Roberts, who is a student at Douglas Business college.

Mrs. Joseph Taylor was taken to the Allegheny General hospital, at Pittsburg today.. Her sons Frank and Earl accompanied her.

Rev. E. N. Duty is in Pittsburg today.

Rev. F. A.Richards is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Miss Leone Evans has gone to Franklin, to be employed as a milliner.

Mrs. L. T. Jack and daughte, Miss Alberta, are spending the day in Pittsburg.

Miss Florence Frew has gone to Saltsburg.

Mrs. Property

Now and then [illegible] things happen on the baseball field which go to add to the gayety of the nation. On one occasion, for instance, during a certain league match in the north, the referee somehow managed to lose his whistle. There was not another whistle to be found, and it seemed that the game would have to come to a sudden and inglorious end, until the referee hit upon an ingenious scheme. He produced a latchkey from his pocket and managed to tootle merrily enough on it till suddenly, as he approached the touch line a woman's shrill voice was heard exclaiming:

"Fred, come here at once. Where did you get that latchkey?"

As he listened to the guffaw which went up from the assembled crowd that referee was the most sheepish looking man on the ground, and as he thought of the curtain lecture looming ahead his heart became like lead within his bosom.—London Answers.

A Puzzling Trick.

Take a piece of writing paper about three inches square and with a lead pencil, the point of which has been dipped in water, draw a circle, a square, a triangle or any other geometrical figure. Lay the paper carefully on a pan of water, letting it float and leaving the surface dry. Carefully drop water on the surface of the paper until the space within the figure is filled. The moistened pencil lines will keep it from flowing outside the figure. Now place the point of a pin over some point in the figure near the edge. The pin point must penetrate the surface of the water, but must not touch the paper. At once the paper will float around until the pin points directly to the center of the figure. See if you can find out why it does this.

Rats and Water.

Government experiments show that rats can live an indefinite time without water. Three of the animals were put on a diet consisting of bread, meat and cheese; but no water, and all were alive and well sixty days after the experiment was begun. On the fifteenth day one was given an opportunity to drink, but made no attempt to do so. When kept without food, but with water, one rat lived three days, and of six rats deprived of both food and water all died within periods ranging from two to five days.—Chicago News

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A PERSISTENT ABBE.

Romance of Mountain Road Building in the Pyrenees.

C. L. Freeston in "The Passes of the Pyrenees" quotes the story of Felix Armand, curé of St. Martin-Lys, who planned a road through the magnificent Gorge de Pierre-Lys in order to bring prosperity to his poverty stricken village. The cure himself marked out the route, "hanging like a spider from the end of a rope over the awful precipices of the Pierre-Lys. After five years' incessant toil the workmen reached the huge mass of rock which blocks the gorge near Belvianes." Still he bravely incited his parishioners to preservere until in 1781 the tunnel was pierced which still bears the name of "Le Trou du Cure." The revolution stopped the work, but after the reign of terror the cure set to work anew.

"A pity the man should be a priest," said Napoleon when he heard of Armand's heroic efforts. "I would have made him a general in my army."

The cure's personal bravery was great. Once when a mine was about to explode a muleteer was seen riding round a corner. The priest instantly sprang out and extinguished a slow match just at its last inch. Armand was made an abbe, but he declined to leave his flock and was buried at St. Martin-Lys with the cross of the Legion of Honor on his breast.

The Famous Old Willow Ware.

You may know a plate of old willow ware by this decoration: On the right there is a mandarin's country seat. In the foreground there should be a pavilion, in the background an orange tree and to the right a peach tree. The place is inclosed by a fence, and through the estate there should wander a brook, and in this brook there is an island high at the left side, with a cottage on it. Over the brook there is a bridge, and on it there should be three figures. The willow tree, the famous willow tree, is at one end and a gardener's cottage at the other. Two birds are high in the air above the picture. The whole is supposed to tell the romance of the mandarin's daughter, who is one of the figures on the bridge. The others are her lover and the mandarin himself. The birds are turtledoves, into which the lovers were changed by the gods that they might escape the wrath of Father Mandarin, who pursued them.

TEST YOUR LUNGS.

A Simple Method by Which One May Measure His Development.

People often suffer from weak, undeveloped lungs without suspecting it. True, small, feeble lungs are usually associated with a small, narrow or sunken chest, but not invariably. By means of the misuse of physical culture it is possible to develop large chest muscles, thus acquiring a big chest measurement, while the lungs remain small and ill nourished.

Again, lung mischief is often so slow and insidious in its approach that the trouble is not discovered until it is firmly established. Here, however, is a simple test which will tell you whether your lungs are healthy or not.

Take as deep a breath as you can, and then, in a slow but distinct voice count from one onward as far as you can without taking in more breath. The number of seconds you can continue counting is a pretty reliable index to the state of your lungs, so you should have some one to time you.

If your lungs are sound and normally developed your range will be between twenty and thirty-five seconds. If your limit is between ten and twenty seconds, there is no need to be alarmed; probably your lungs are merely in need of exercise, to be readily obtained by regular deep breathing in pure air. A range of less than ten seconds, however, points to more or less mischief, and you should not delay in having your lungs examined by a medical man.—London Answers.

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Funny Blunders.

The following is surely the funniest vote of thanks uttered for a long time. The speaker with evidently the best intentions in the world nervously floundered along through various sentences complimentary to the lecturer and finally [illegible] out feebly that "and so I propose a vote of thanks for the lecture to which we have so ably listened." The audience was so wearied that it did not notice the fatuous remark, and only the lecturer smiled.

It is fit to be placed beside another muddle headed sentence made in conversation to a north London clergyman. A man had been pressing his views energetically on a certain question when suddenly he paused and, looking at the clergyman, said briskly, "And now, sir, what is your humble opinion?"—London Tit-Bits.

Indian Names.

The finest Indian names are those which belong to the cloud clan. All these names are derived from meteorological phenomena. They are the hardest of names to translate from Indian into English. The great cloud clan Sioux, whose name was really Eclipse, was always known to the whites as Hole-in-the-Day. A certain cloud clan girl, whose name was derived from the beautiful phenomenon of the slow advance of the approaching rain cloud, was known to the whites as Walking Rain—a pretty name, but one requiring explanation to a tenderfoot.—Exchange.

Old Times In New York.

In 1789 New York city maintained an official who would whip a servant, either free or slave, for the master, charging a shilling for the job. Petty thieves were branded for life with a "T" on the cheek. Mrs. Johanna Young and another woman convicted of grand larceny were driven all over the city in an open cart, then stripped to the waist and given thirty-nine lashes apiece in public and then banished, "whereupon," says the record, "they went to Philadelphia."

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